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NCAC Women's Swimming & Diving Championships
KENYON EARNS 19TH CONSECUTIVE NCAC TITLE;
WOOSTER'S HEISING NAMED SWIMMER OF THE YEAR

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CANTON, Ohio -- Kenyon posted nine first-place finishes and 32 top-five finishes on the way to its 19th consecutive team title at the North Coast Athletic Conference Swimming & Diving Championships, which were held Feb. 13-15 at C.T. Branin Natatorium in Canton, Ohio. The Ladies have won all 19 NCAC championships and 27 straight conference (or state) crowns overall.

Kenyon compiled 1499.5 points to top runner up Denison yet again. The Big Red picked up four wins and 24 top-five finishes to compile 1477 points and their 12th consecutive (15th overall) second-place finish. Wooster totaled 1240.5 points to place third for the sixth year in a row and 10th time overall. Wittenberg placed fourth with 924 points, followed by Allegheny (809), Ohio Wesleyan (545), Hiram (386) and Oberlin (374) in positions five through eight, respectively.

Wooster junior **Kayla Heising (Wauseon, OH/Wauseon)** earned NCAC Swimmer of the Year honors. She won the 100 freestyle (51.24) in conference-record time, and also claimed the 50 freestyle. She met the NCAA automatic qualifying standard in both events.

Allegheny junior **Kelley Anderson (Beaver, PA/Beaver)** won both diving events, and was voted Diver of the Year of the third time.

Other multiple individual winners were Kenyon junior **Beth Gallowy (Orchard Park, NY/Orchard Park)** who topped her own NCAC record in the 100 backstroke (56.35) and also claimed the 200 backstroke; Denison sophomore **Jill Boo (Ramsey, MN/Anoka)**, who shared the 100 butterfly title and won the 200 fly outright; And Hiram freshman **Beth Groselle (Hiram, OH/Crestwood)**, who became the Terriers' first-ever NCAC champion since they joined the conference in 2000. Groselle won the 200 individual medley and the 100 breaststroke.

Wittenberg's **Lesley Ramsey** was voted Coach of the Year for the first time, after guiding the Tigers to a fourth-place finish. Denison coach **Anne Gillie** earned her first Diving Coach of the Year recognition.

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Team	Points
1. Kenyon College	1499.5
2. Denison University	1477.0
3. College of Wooster	1240.5
4. Wittenberg University	924.0
5. Allegheny College	809.0
6. Ohio Wesleyan University	545.0
7. Hiram College	386.0
8. Oberlin College	374.0

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50-YD FREESTYLE

% 23.33 Kayla Heising, WOO
% 23.34 Beth Galloway, KEN
% 24.08 Chrissy Havach, DEN

100-YD FREESTYLE

@% 51.24 Kayla Heising, WOO
% 51.50 Agnese Ozolina, KEN
% 52.42 Sarah Peck, DEN

200-YD FREESTYLE

@% 1:52.85 Agnese Ozolina, KEN
% 1:54.08 Rachel Smith, KEN
1:55.04 Melissa Holt, KEN

500-YD FREESTYLE

% 5:01.60 Rachel Smith, KEN
% 5:02.82 Elizabeth Roesch, WOO
5:08.21 Ashley Rowatt, KEN

1650-YD FREESTYLE

% 17:33.33 Elizabeth Roesch, WOO
% 17:24.87 Rachel Smith, KEN
17:30.90 Kate Holland, KEN

200-YD INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY

% 2:08.54 Beth Groselle, HIR
% 2:08.64 Liz Whittam, WOO
% 2:08.64 Lauren Clark, DEN

400-YD INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY

% 4:29.58 Ashley Rowatt, KEN
% 4:33.33 Lauren Clark, DEN
4:36.63 Becca Searcy, WIT

100-YD BUTTERFLY

58.41 Jill Boo, DEN
58.41 Merylyn Chan, KEN
58.65 Kayla Heising, WOO

200-YD BUTTERFLY

2:09.09 Jill Boo, DEN
2:10.37 Claire Tindal, KEN
2:11.20 Annie Racek, KEN

100-YD BACKSTROKE

@% 56.35 Beth Galloway, KEN
59.49 Chrissy Havach, DEN
1:00.01 Jennie Miller, KEN

SWIMMER OF THE YEAR

Kayla Heising, Wooster

DIVER OF THE YEAR

Kelley Anderson, Allegheny

SWIM COACH OF THE YEAR

Lesley Ramsey, Wittenberg

DIVING COACH OF THE YEAR

Anne Gillie, Denison

200-YD BACKSTROKE

% 2:04.59 Beth Galloway, KEN
% 2:07.34 Sarah Retrum, KEN
2:09.93 Clare Williams, DEN

100-YD BREASTSTROKE

% 1:05.60 Beth Groselle, HIR
1:07.33 Jenny Bayuk, WOO
1:07.58 Betsy Garratt, KEN

200-YD BREASTSTROKE

% 2:23.31 Lauren Clark, DEN
% 2:23.73 Beth Groselle, HIR
2:23.92 Ashley Rowatt, KEN

ONE-METER DIVING

% 408.70 Kelley Anderson, ALL
314.60 Nikki Weaver, DEN
283.75 Cathy Dugan, DEN

THREE-METER DIVING

% 436.90 Kelley Anderson, ALL
322.70 Nikki Weaver, DEN
277.95 Kit Gray, WIT

200-YD FREESTYLE RELAY

% 1:35.46 KENYON
% 1:35.94 WOOSTER
% 1:36.28 DENISON

400-YD FREESTYLE RELAY

3:28.75 KENYON
3:30.59 DENISON
3:31.76 WOOSTER

800-YD FREESTYLE RELAY

@% 7:37.11 KENYON
% 7:45.20 WOOSTER
% 7:47.03 DENISON

200-YD MEDLEY RELAY

% 1:48.13 DENISON
1:48.69 WOOSTER
1:51.64 ALLEGHENY

400-YD MEDLEY RELAY

% 3:55.17 KENYON
3:57.33 DENISON
4:00.06 WOOSTER

FINAL TEAM STANDINGS

1. KENYON 1499.5
2. DENISON 1477.0
3. WOOSTER 1240.5
4. WITTENBERG 924.0
5. ALLEGHENY 809.0
6. OHIO WESLEYAN 545.0
7. HIRAM 386.0
8. OBERLIN 374.0

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% NCAA Division III Qualifying Time



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NCAC Men's Swimming & Diving Championships

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**KENYON CLAIMS 18TH NORTH COAST CROWN;
LORDS' VEGA NAMED SWIMMER OF THE YEAR FOR SECOND TIME**

February 16, 2003

CANTON, Ohio -- Kenyon won 16 events and recorded 44 top-five finishes to successfully defend its team title at the North Coast Athletic Conference Swimming & Diving Championships, which were held Feb. 13-15 at C.T. Branin Natatorium in Canton, Ohio. The Lords, who have claimed 23 consecutive NCAA Division III titles, have won 18 of 19 NCAC crowns and 49 of their last 50 conference championship meets.

Kenyon totaled 1,709 points to best perennial runner-up Denison, which recorded two first-place finishes to go with 26 top-five finishes on the way to 1,451 points and its 17th second-place finish. Wooster placed third with 744 points, up two spots from a fifth-place finish last winter. Wabash compiled 722.50 points to place fourth, followed by Wittenberg (667.50), Allegheny (583), Hiram (572), Ohio Wesleyan (475) and Oberlin (463) in positions five through nine, respectively.

Kenyon senior **Carlos Vega (Strongsville, OH/St. Ignatius)** was honored as Male Swimmer of the Year for the second straight year. He won the 100 backstroke and was a member of the winning 200 and 400 medley relay teams.

Allegheny senior **John Hreha (Pittsburgh, PA/Chartiers Valley)** earned Diver of the Year honors for the fourth time after he dominated the 1- and 3-meter diving for the fourth straight year. Hreha broke his own conference record in the 1-meter (530.50) and met the NCAA automatic qualifying standard in both events.

Other multiple individual winners were Kenyon sophomore **Elliot Rushton (Delta, BC/South Delta Secondary)**, who took both distance freestyles, and set a conference mark in the 1650 (15:48.00); Kenyon senior **Read Boon (Durham, NC/C.E. Jordan)**, a winner of the 200 backstroke and 200 individual medley, set a conference mark in the latter (1:52.52); Denison sophomore **Greg Haar (Mequon, WI/Homestead)** claimed the 100 and 200 freestyles; and Kenyon junior **Marc Courtney-Brooks (Columbus, OH/St. Charles Prep)** was victorious in the 100 butterfly and 50 freestyle.

Kenyon's **Jim Steen** was voted Coach of the Year for the third time after he guided the Lords to their 18th North Coast title. **Anne Gillie** of Denison earned Diving Coach of the Year for the first time.

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2003 Men's Swimming & Diving Championships**

Team	Points
1. Kenyon College	1709.0
2. Denison University	1451.0
3. College of Wooster	744.0
4. Wabash College	722.5
5. Wittenberg University	667.5
6. Allegheny College	583.0
7. Hiram College	572.0
8. Ohio Wesleyan University	475.0
9. Oberlin College	463.0

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50-YD FREESTYLE

21.19 Marc Courtney-Brooks, KEN
21.37 Jon Philipsborn, KEN
21.42 Andrejs Duda, KEN

100-YD FREESTYLE

46.18 Greg Haar, DEN
46.53 Jon Philipsborn, KEN
46.97 Thomas Ashby, KEN

200-YD FREESTYLE

% 1:40.85 Greg Haar, DEN
1:42.56 Peter Gosselar, KEN
1:42.71 Jon Philipsborn, KEN

500-YD FREESTYLE

% 4:33.10 Elliot Rushton, KEN
4:37.37 Peter Gosselar, KEN
4:38.15 Andy Hoffman, DEN

1650-YD FREESTYLE

@% 15:48.00 Elliot Rushton, KEN
% 15:58.95 Andy Hoffman, DEN
16:09.10 John Schutt, DEN

200-YD INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY

@% 1:52.52 Read Boon, KEN
1:54.11 Steve Rader, WIT
1:54.86 David Dehart, KEN

400-YD INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY

% 4:02.77 Andrejs Duda, KEN
4:08.71 Joel Rector, DEN
4:12.71 Trey Smith, KEN

100-YD BUTTERFLY

% 50.23 Marc Courtney-Brooks, KEN
% 50.26 Thomas Ashby, KEN
50.47 Carlos Vega, KEN

200-YD BUTTERFLY

% 1:51.20 Carlos Vega, KEN
% 1:52.21 Marc Courtney-Brooks, KEN
% 1:52.59 Joel Rector, DEN

100-YD BACKSTROKE

51.81 Carlos Vega, KEN
52.19 Dustin Pfeif, DEN
52.58 Brett Hansen, DEN

SWIMMER OF THE YEAR

Carlos Vega, Kenyon

DIVER OF THE YEAR

John Hreha, Allegheny

SWIM COACH OF THE YEAR

Jim Steen, Kenyon

DIVING COACH OF THE YEAR

Anne Gillie, Denison

200-YD BACKSTROKE

% 1:51.40 Read Boon, KEN
1:55.08 Zach Huggins, HIR
1:55.54 David Dehart, KEN

100-YD BREASTSTROKE

58.49 Paul Kaminsky, KEN
58.53 Ben Douglass, DEN
59.66 Read Boon, KEN

200-YD BREASTSTROKE

2:07.73 Petar Krvaric, KEN
2:08.03 Paul Kaminsky, KEN
2:09.26 Alex Murray, DEN

ONE-METER DIVING

@% 530.50 John Hreha, ALL
357.40 Scott Siegel, DEN
299.45 Alan Rill, OWU

THREE-METER DIVING

% 480.60 John Hreha, ALL
340.45 Scott Siegel, DEN
257.00 Todd Koenig, WOO

200-YD FREESTYLE RELAY

1:23.46 KENYON
1:24.57 DENISON
1:27.12 WITTENBERG

400-YD FREESTYLE RELAY

% 3:02.59 KENYON
3:05.61 DENISON
3:12.86 ALLEGHENY

800-YD FREESTYLE RELAY

% 6:48.81 KENYON
6:54.57 DENISON
7:13.01 OBERLIN

200-YD MEDLEY RELAY

@% 1:32.11 KENYON
1:33.83 DENISON
1:36.45 WITTENBERG

400-YD MEDLEY RELAY

% 3:25.06 KENYON
3:27.79 DENISON
3:35.01 WITTENBERG

FINAL TEAM STANDINGS

1. KENYON 1709.0
2. DENISON 1451.0
3. WOOSTER 744.0
4. WABASH 722.5
5. WITTENBERG 667.5
6. ALLEGHENY 583.0
7. HIRAM 572.0
8. OHIO WESLEYAN 475.0
9. OBERLIN 463.0

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